

**Claim Amendments**

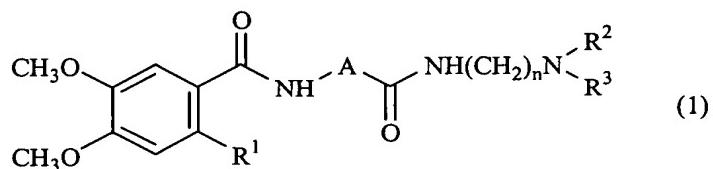
This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims of the application.

**Listing of Claims**

Claims 1-8 (Cancelled)

Claim 9. (Currently Amended): A method ~~for treating impaired gastric accommodation, comprising:~~

administering to a subject having impaired gastric accommodation an effective dosage of a compound represented by ~~the general formula (1):~~



wherein

R<sup>1</sup> represents a hydrogen atom, a hydroxyl group, or a halogen atom;

A represents a furyl group, a thienyl group, a thiazolyl group, or an oxazolyl group;

R<sup>2</sup> and R<sup>3</sup> each represents an alkyl group with 1 to 5 carbon atoms; and

n represents an integer of 2 to 4; or an acid addition salt thereof, ~~for treating impaired gastric accommodation thereby achieving relaxation of the gastric fundus.~~

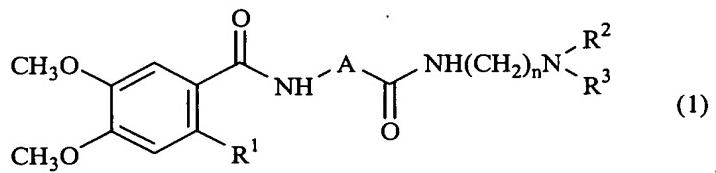
Claim 10. (Original): The method of claim 9, wherein A is a furyl group or a thiazolyl group.

Claim 11. (Previously Presented): The method of claim 9, wherein R<sup>2</sup> and R<sup>3</sup> each represents an isopropyl group and n is 2.

Claim 12. (Previously Presented): The method of claim 9, wherein said compound is 2-[N-(4,5-dimethoxy-2-hydroxybenzoyl)amino]-4-[(2-diisopropylaminoethyl)aminocarbonyl]-1,3-thiazole or an acid addition salt thereof.

Claim 13. (Currently Amended): A method for relaxing the gastric fundus, comprising:

administering to a subject in need thereof an effective amount of a compound represented by the general formula (1):



wherein

R<sup>1</sup> represents a hydrogen atom, a hydroxyl group, or a halogen atom;

A represents a furyl group, a thienyl group, a thiazolyl group, or an oxazolyl group;

R<sup>2</sup> and R<sup>3</sup> each represents an alkyl group with 1 to 5 carbon atoms; and

n represents an integer of 2 to 4; or an acid addition salt thereof.

Claim 14 (Canceled)